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## AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

## I. <u>INTRODUCTION</u>

An Office action was issued on July 7, 2005 ("the Office action"). In response thereto, and in accordance with the practice outlined in 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.111 and 1.112, applicant submits the following amendments and remarks. Applicant respectfully requests that the application be reconsidered.

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.121, the amendments directed below include editing marks. New text is an amended paragraph or claim is underlined (<u>new text</u>). Deleted text in an amended paragraph or claim is indicated with a strikethrough (<del>deleted text</del>) or enclosed in double brackets ([[deleted text]]).